

Welcome to St. John the Evangelist Parish

MASS INTENTIONS

Saturday 12(Noon) 5:00 p.m.	<u>First Saturday</u> David Beasley Theresa Jean Strange, Robert Blackwell, Richard Green, Buck & Afra Green	Sept. 5th
Sunday 8:00 a.m. 10:00 a.m. 4:00 p.m.	Joe Traylor Patrick Delaney Michael Elliott, Jr., Jerry Bradley, Mike Davis, Patrick Arvin	Sept. 6th
Monday 12(Noon)	Connie McAtee (at St. Martin)	Sept. 7th
Tuesday 7:00 p.m.	Bob Bullock	Sept. 8th
Wednesday 9:00 a.m.	For The People	Sept. 9th
Thursday 9:00 a.m. 1:30 p.m.	Mike Summers Nursing Home Mass - Father Leo C. Kiesel	Sept. 10th
Friday 9:00 a.m.	Deceased Members of the William R. Cox Family	Sept. 11th
Saturday 5:00 p.m.	<u>Women's WELCOME Weekend</u> James E. Burch, Jason Bradley, John W. Bowling, Barbara Ash WELCOME Mass - Elaine Carrico	Sept. 12th
8:00 p.m.		
Sunday 8:00 a.m. 10:00 a.m. 4:00 p.m.	<u>Women's WELCOME Weekend</u> Joan Haag Sharon Fields, Ethan Fields, Delbert Fields, Patrick Arvin Vonda Elliott	Sept. 13th

Ministers for Sept. 5th/Sept. 6th, 2026

SACRISTANS

5:00 p.m.	Susan Ackerman
8:00 a.m.	Volunteer
10:00 a.m.	Angie Zins

SERVERS:

5:00 p.m.	Keaton Smith, Volunteers
8:00 a.m.	Curtis Merkley, Alex Merkley, Eli Winger
10:00 a.m.	Karmen Wilson, Kendall Wilson, Kamden Wilson
4:00 p.m.	Grayson Kluesner, Liam Kluesner, Hattie Kluesner

GREETERS:

5:00 p.m.	FD: Anne Marie Crays SD: Volunteers
8:00 a.m.	FD: Bruce/Lynn Hawkins SD: Jerry Huelsman
10:00 a.m.	FD: Brenda Mathias SD: Faye Holland, Volunteer

READERS:

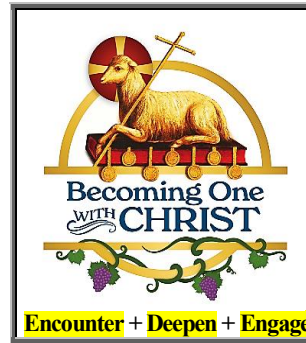
5:00 p.m.	Elaine Wade
8:00 a.m.	Jerry Lubbehusen
10:00 a.m.	Kay Summers
4:00 p.m.	Volunteer

EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS:

Two Ministers needed - 1 assigned / 1 Volunteer if Deacon is not present

5:00 p.m.	Janet Matthews
8:00 a.m.	Donna Ader, Linda Wickman
10:00 a.m.	Greg Bateman

Are you interested in joining the Catholic Church or do you know anyone who has shown interest? Please call my cell phone or the rectory.



From Our Pastor

My dear friends in Christ,

A special thank you to Gustavo Borjon and the Men's Club for hosting a successful Hog Roast dinner again this year. If you would like to assist with preparing the food, cooking, cleaning, or set-up and tear-down for next year's Hog Roast dinner, please let us or the Men's Club know. May our Lord Jesus continue to bless this wonderful event!

Also, many thanks go to Brady Lents and Isaac Lagree who spoke last weekend about their upcoming "Savio Trip." May the Lord guide them as they embark on this wonderful opportunity for their lives.

Next weekend we will have our 2025 Women's WELCOME Weekend Retreat. It is not too late to sign up and participate for this opportunity to grow in our faith with your fellow parishioners. You will find sign-up sheets at the back of the church, or you may sign up by scanning the QR code in the WELCOME announcement.

The Feast of Our Lady of Sorrows (Mater Dolorosa) is Monday, September 15th.

All young men, ages 13 - high school senior, are welcome to come to Savio at St. Martin Hall on Sunday, September 27th, from 6:00 p.m. - 8:00 p.m. This spiritual gathering made possible through our diocese allows our young parishioners to learn, pray, and grow in their faith together. I highly recommend the young men of our parish to become a member of Savio.

The Fall Festival and Raffle will be held this year on Sunday, September 27th, at St. Martin Hall. It will begin with Mass outside in front of the St. Martin Church at 12(Noon). This will be followed by good food, music, and games for all to enjoy. Again this year, we will have a "foam party" for the children. The festivities will be concluded with the raffle at 3:30 p.m. Many tickets have been returned for the raffle. If you have not received your 6 tickets, you may call Adam at 812-295-2225 and set up a day/time to pick the tickets up. Also, you may request additional tickets over and beyond what you have received. Please call Adam for those tickets.

**May our Lord bless and keep you,
Father Walker**

Ministers for Sept. 12th/Sept. 13th, 2026**SACRISTANS**

5:00 p.m. Mike Luzwick
 8:00 a.m. Volunteer
 10:00 a.m. Noel Harty

SERVERS:

5:00 p.m. Natalie Willoughby, Volunteers
 8:00 a.m. Brendan Green, Eli Wininger
 10:00 a.m. Josie Mathies, Mason Mathies, Elin Wade
 4:00 p.m. Elena Lyon, Remington Bell

GREETERS:

5:00 p.m. FD: Joni Parker-Burch
 SD: Volunteers
 8:00 a.m. FD: Greg/Dottie Potts
 SD: Volunteers
 10:00 a.m. FD: Gayle Strange
 SD: Angie Zins, Volunteer

READERS:

5:00 p.m. Judd Potts
 8:00 a.m. Tom Peter
 10:00 a.m. Mike Engleman
 4:00 p.m. Volunteer

EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS:

5:00 p.m. Elaine Wade
 8:00 a.m. Elizabeth Park, Volunteer
 10:00 a.m. Stephanie McAtee

Sunday Collection Aug. 29th/Aug. 30th, 2026

St. John 167 Envelopes \$8,263.00
 Vigil Light Money \$69.65

Save the Date

Hope & Healing Meeting (St. Martin) - Sept. 8th, 6:30pm
Men's WELCOME Meeting (St. Martin) - Sept. 9th, 6:30 pm
Women's WELCOME Weekend (St. Martin) - Sept. 12th/13th
Altar Society Meeting (St. Martin) - Sept. 14th, 6:30pm
Feast of Our Lady Of Sorrows (Mater Dolorosa) - Sept. 15th
K of C Ladies Auxiliary Meeting - Sept. 16th, 7pm
Pastoral Council Meeting - Sept. 17th, 6pm
Men's WELCOME Weekend (St. Martin) - Sept. 19th/20th
K of C 3rd Degree Meeting - Sept. 21st, 7pm
St. John Fall Festival (St. Martin) - Sept. 27th, 1pm - 4pm
St. John Raffle (St. Martin) - Sept. 27th, 3:30pm
Savio (St. Martin) - Sept. 27th, 6pm - 8pm
K of C 4th Degree Meeting - Sept. 28th, 7pm

EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION FOR THIS WEEK

Everyday, 7am - 7pm: Adoration Chapel at St. Joseph
 Thursday, 9am - 6pm: Eucharistic Adoration at St. John



Saturday Confessions
September 12th: ???
or by appointment

FALL FESTIVAL

If you have a special talent and would like to be part of the entertainment at the Fall Festival on Sunday, September 27th, we would love to hear from you! Please reach out to Donna Ader at 812-296-0226 or Linda Wickman at 812-296-0058.

ITALY PILGRIMAGE

Senior Priest Fr. John Boeglin is hosting a Spring Italy Pilgrimage visiting Venice, Florence, Assisi, and Rome. The pilgrimage starts on April 5, 2027, from Evansville and ends on April 15th. The price of the pilgrimage is \$4,999. Brochures are available at the back of the church, or you may email Fr. Boeglin at jboeglin@evdio.org.

WELCOME

Please keep these ladies in your thoughts and prayers as they have said "Yes" to the Women's WELCOME Retreat invitation. Our parish continues to thrive in His Name & Glory!



Julia Carrico	Pat Jones	Jill Toy
Jennifer Miller	Dorothy Clary	Francie Doyle
Cindy Pendleton	Jill Colvin	Deanna Smith
Jamie Truelove	Rachel Sutton	Cheri Deffendoll
Sara Street	Makenzie Van Hoy	Kay Summers
Marion Jackson	Angie Risacher	Chelsea Lannan

Women| 9/12-9/13 SAVE THE DATE! Men| 9/19-9/20

- September 12th at 8 p.m. at St. Martin Church -

This Mass will be for all women and men of the parish who have attended Christ Renews His Parish or a WELCOME Weekend Retreat.

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION & YOUTH NEWS

As we approach the start of our classes, we are searching for volunteers to provide meals for our Wednesday evening students. If any parishioner(s) would like to prepare dinner for a Wednesday evening, we would love to give you a chance to serve our youth. I am working on a schedule for those who are interested in donating a meal. Please reach out to Ashton to find out more or choose a day. Meal time is from 6:00 p.m. - 6:45 p.m. at St. Martin Hall.

Registration for religious education is open. Thank you to everyone who has completed the registration already! Please reach out to Ashton if you have any questions or concerns. Grades K - 4 will begin October 5th, and grades 5 - 12 will begin October 7th.

akahle@evdio.org or 812-639-3923

**DIocese of EVANSVILLE MISSION**

We, the Catholics of the Diocese of Evansville, are committed to continuing the mission Jesus entrusted to all the baptized to joyfully proclaim the Gospel, serve those in need, and form disciples by inviting everyone to:

- **Encounter** Christ more profoundly, particularly in Word and Sacrament
- **Deepen** our relationship with Christ and the Church
- **Engage** intentionally as witnesses and missionary disciples in our communities

OUR LADY OF SORROWS (MATER DOLOROSA)

The Church dedicates the month of September to Our Lady of Sorrows, also known as Mater Dolorosa (Mother of Sorrows). This devotion recalls the Blessed Virgin Mary's spiritual martyrdom in virtue of her perfect union with the Passion of Christ. This was her role in salvation history, and what merited her place as the spiritual Mother of all Christians. This is symbolized by a single sword, or seven swords, piercing Mary's suffering heart, as foretold in Simeon's prophecy. Traditionally the Church meditates on the "Seven Sorrows" of our Blessed Mother:

1. The prophecy of Simeon;
2. The Holy Family's flight into Egypt;
3. The loss of the Child Jesus for three days;
4. The meeting of Mary and Jesus as He carried his cross;
5. Our Lord's crucifixion and death;
6. The sacred body of Jesus taken down from the cross;
7. The burial of Jesus.

September 1:

Brenda Blesoe
Carl Cooper
Nolan Lents
Nicole Pendleton
Janice Taylor

September 2:

Karson Burch
Craig Lubbehusen
James Melton
Brenda Strange
Regina Sweckard

September 3:

Cam Ackerman
Rocky Byrd
Tia Fuhs
Helen Gibson
Karen Wilson

September 4:

Jason Fuhrman
Michelle Lents
Dennis Nolley
Richard Williams

September 5:

Anne Marie Crays
Herbert Lottes
Lori Flynn
Grant Tompkins

September 6:

Remington Bell
Brenda Smith

September 7:

James Burch
Mark Trout

September 8:

Hailey Hennette
Betty Kemp
Mary Salmon
Reis Whitney

September 9:

Shelly Elliott
Brett Robinson
Phillip Smith

September 10:

Patrick Allbright
Lara O'Connor

September 11:

Dorothy Clary
Barbara Lannan
Jeremiah Johnson
Owen Tompkins

September 12:

Rebecca Bauer
Micky Crew
Mary Gates
Mary Guy

September 13:

Ryan Allen
Colton Combess
Kate Letherman
Landon Mathies
Rilyn Medina
Michael Milligan
Angel Ochs

September 14:

Dayne Holder
Annette Taylor
Evan Williams

September 15:

Jack Butcher
Brian Esch
Cohen Graves

September 16:

Cameron Callison
Virginia Jacobs
Gary Norris
Faith Sward
Jason Tinkle

September 17:

James Hager
Robert Horsting

September 18:

Webb Crane
Mark Guinn
Trina Hand
Leo Lagree
Carmine Lettieri
Courtney Taylor
Edward O'Connor
Nancy Summers

September 19:

Ed David
Mike Wagoner

September 20:

Bryant Ackerman
Christna Crane
Faith Sexton

September 21:

Mary Beth Adams
Patricia Cissell
Chris Cushman
Donald Mattingly
Deidra Nolan

September Birthdays of St. John the Evangelist Parish

September 22:

Haylo Harmon
Paul Hart
Jennifer Holt
Robert Lents
Nancy Strange
Anna Louise Winger

September 23:

Brandon Eckerle
Dan Flynn
Jared Mathies
Kelly Matthews
Jarrod Rose

September 24:

Marnia Arvin
Brittney Gibson
Ashley Green
Michelle Ringwald

September 25:

Elise Elliott
Derrick Tinkle
Grace Sexton
RuAnn Spitznagel

September 26:

Collin Dant
Hannah Harshaw
Kelly Lents
Janson Sherer
Maureen Thomas
Kathy Wallace

September 27:

Marina Bouvy
Martin Bradley
Britta Browder
Emily Marks
Sue Ann Slaven

September 28:

Gustavo Borjon
Becca Hollaway
Laney Inman
Matthew Mathies
Jacob Nonte

September 29:

Hank Dalrymple
Kinsley Harder
Carmen Houchins
Gina Nolley
Andrea Sutton

September 30:

Elyse Brown
Travis Craney
Amanada Graves
Peter McDowell
Lisa Smith
David Strange
Denise Strange
Jordan Toy